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COLLEGE OF SCIENCES CURRICULUM COMMITTEE MINUTES
Friday, February 24, 2006– COS Conference Room, 2118 Old Main

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Chair Lassak called the meeting to order at 2:00 p.m.

Present: Dr. Ashley, Ms. Calvert, Dr. A. Fritz, Dr. Gutowski, Dr. Hendrickson, Dr. Lassak, Dr. Sharma, Dr. Wheeler and Ms. Finley

Guests: Dr. Foster and Dr. Holly

I. Minutes

The minutes of 1/20/06 and 2/3/06 were approved as published with the following correction to the 1/20/06 minutes:
Under **V. COSCC Meetings for Spring 2006 Semester**, delete March 3 as a meeting date.

II. Communications

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III. Proposals

06-01. New Course Proposal – Anthropology 3900. Hunters and Gatherers. (3-0-3) S.

Dr. Holly presented the proposal and responded to questions from committee members. Dr. Ashley moved and Dr. Wheeler seconded the motion to approve the course proposal. The new course proposal was approved unanimously as amended.

06-02. New Course Proposal – Sociology 4240. Sociology of Disasters. (3-0-3) On demand.

Dr. Foster presented the proposal and responded to questions from committee members. Dr. Sharma moved and Dr. Fritz seconded the motion to approve the course proposal. The new course proposal was approved unanimously as amended.

06-03. New Course Proposal – Economics 5411. Seminar in Natural Resource and Environmental Economics. (3-0-3) S.

The new course proposal was placed on the agenda. Voting will be later.

IV. Executive Action

The following change was approved by executive action to be effective Fall 2006:
ANT minor -- Add ANT 3900 to the list of approved ANT electives

V. Announcements

1. Ms. Kuykendall announced that the conversion of courses to meet the specifications of the Banner system will likely create a large batch of executive action requests. Those requests will be forthcoming in the next month.
2. Dr. Ashley encouraged committee members and their colleagues to run for vacancies on various committees in the upcoming election organized by Faculty Senate.

The meeting adjourned at 2:40 p.m.

Barb Kuykendall
Recorder

ANNOUNCEMENT OF NEXT MEETING
FRIDAY, MARCH 10, 2006 – 2:00 P.M.
COS CONFERENCE ROOM, 2118 OLD MAIN

AGENDA:

- 06-03. New Course Proposal – Economics 5411. Seminar in Natural Resource and Environmental Economics. (3-0-3) S.**